

GATTO MURDER TO BE PROBE TOMORROW

Coroner Has Summoned All Witnesses to Shooting.

ALLEGED ASSASSIN IS SILENT

William Matchett, the Printer, Said to Have Shot the Italian for His Daughter's Sake.

Coroner Nevitt tomorrow will hold an inquest over the remains of Joseph Gatto, the Italian who was shot and almost instantly killed by William Matchett at 355 Pennsylvania Avenue northwest, about 9 o'clock last night. The body of Gatto will not be removed from the morgue, where it now is, until the inquest is concluded. All of the witnesses to the shooting have been summoned to appear before the coroner's jury.

Matchett, the alleged murderer, is confined in a cell at the Sixth precinct police station, and refuses to discuss the shooting. He spends a large part of his time in the stationhouse sleeping, and seems not the least worried regarding his act. Matchett was arrested by Policeman Quinlan shortly after the shooting.

The murder, it is said, occurred as the result of a quarrel between the murdered man and his housekeeper, Emma Matchett, over the possession of a child. Last night the Matchett woman said she was going to quit her position as housekeeper, and started away with the child, when Gatto attempted to interpose and take it away from her. It was then that the father of the woman, William Matchett, appeared upon the scene, and, drawing a revolver, fired three bullets into Gatto's body. The man fell to the pavement and died within a few seconds.

The shooting created great excitement in the vicinity of Four-and-a-half Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, and the street was blocked with inquisitive citizens for some time afterward.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Fair tonight and Thursday; variable winds.

CONDITION OF THE WATER.

Temperature and condition of the water at 8 a. m.: Great Falls—Temperature, 62; condition 5; Dalecarlia reservoir—Temperature 65; condition at north connection 5; condition at south connection 4. Georgetown distributing reservoir—Temperature 68; condition at influent gatehouse 6; condition at effluent gatehouse 9. Washington city reservoir—Temperature 66; condition at influent 32; condition at effluent 36.

THE SUN AND THE MOON.
Sun rises 6:02 a. m.; sets 5:32 p. m.
Moon rises 6:04 a. m.; sets 10:26 p. m.

TIDE TABLE.
High tide 12:09 a. m. and 1 p. m.
Low tide 6:34 a. m. and 6:31 p. m.

STREET LIGHTING.

Lamps lit today 6:10 p. m.
Lamps out tomorrow 5:11 a. m.

AMUSEMENTS.

National—Violette Allen, in "The Eternal City," afternoon and evening.
Columbia—Joseph Hart and Carrie Demar, in "Foxy Grandpa," evening.
Lafayette—"Busy Lizzie," afternoon and evening.
Chase—Continuous Vaudeville, beginning at 12:30 p. m.
Academy—"The White Slave," evening.
Empire—"Weary Willie Walker," afternoon and evening.
Kernan—"Cracker Jacks" Burlesques, afternoon and evening.
Monument Lot—Pain's pyrotechnic display.

EXCURSIONS.

Norfolk and Washington line for Fort Monroe and Norfolk at 6:30 p. m.
Chesapeake Beach—See schedule under "Railroads and Steamboats" for time.
Trains leave Pennsylvania Avenue and Thirteenth-and-a-half Street for Alexandria and Arlington every half hour; Mount Vernon hourly, 10 a. m. to 3 p. m.

FIRE IN GEORGETOWN.

The slaughterhouse of Mr. Louis Kengla, just west of the powerhouse of the Georgetown and Tenleytown Railroad, on Thirty-second Street extended, was destroyed by fire about 8 o'clock this morning.

\$10 to Niagara Falls and Return Via B. & O. R. R. Thursday, October 9.

Special train of Day Coaches and Pullman Parlor Cars will leave Washington at 8:30 a. m. Stopovers returning. Tickets good for ten days. Route via Baltimore, Philadelphia and Lehigh Valley. Last excursion of the season.

Norfolk & Washington Steamboat Co. Special G. A. R. Excursion to Yorktown and Fort Monroe, from wharf, foot 7th st., Friday, Oct. 10, at 6:30 p. m.; 4th round trip. Information, tickets, and staterooms at general ticket office, Bond Building, N. Y. ave. and 14th st., and at wharf. Telephone 750.

Side Trips to Virginia Battlefields Via Southern Railway.

Ninety per cent of the battles in Virginia during the civil war were fought on or near lines of the Southern Railway. One fare for round trip to Virginia battlefields October 6 to 14 inclusive; return limit of tickets, five days from date of sale. Tickets, battlefield folders and information obtainable at offices, 705 15th st. n. w., 511 Pa. ave., and 9th st. and Maryland ave. s. w.

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COAL FAMINE WILL ROUT HOUSEHOLDERS

Tenants Giving Up Houses and Seeking Apartments.

REUNION OF FIFTEENTH CORPS.

At the reunion of the Fifteenth Army Corps in Sherman tent tonight, addresses will be delivered by Gen. Green B. Raum, Col. W. R. Warner, and Past Department Commander A. C. Welsert. Barry Bulkley, secretary of the Citizens' Executive Committee, will recite the "American Song." Among those who are announced for five-minute speeches are Gen. John C. Black, Col. John McElroy, Col. A. C. Mathews, and a host of other comrades.

POTOMAC DEPARTMENT REUNION.

The reunion of the Department of the Potomac, G. A. R., will take place tonight at 7 o'clock in Grant tent, the largest tent in Camp Roosevelt. A portion of the Marine Band will furnish the music. There will be recitations by Secretary Barry Bulkley, Col. B. H. Hoy, and others. Among those who are announced for five-minute speeches are Gen. O. O. Howard, Chairman B. H. Warner, Corp. James Tanager, Col. John McElroy, and Col. J. P. Nicholson.

WOMAN'S RELIEF UNION.

The Women's Veteran Relief Union will begin its annual convention at Concordia Hall tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. Two new departments, the Department of the Potomac and the Department of Iowa, are to be organized.

STONE-BRADFORD.

Miss Mary Knight Bradford, of this city, was married to Mr. George Winchester Stone, of Boston, at the First Congregational Church last evening.

G. A. R. Side Trips Via Washington Southern Railway and Connections.

Half rates to Fredericksburg, Richmond, Petersburg, Old Point, Norfolk, Annapolis, etc. Apply for Washington Southern Railway side trip folder at station, Sixth and B Streets, S. E., 501. 1421 Pennsylvania Avenue, 600 Fourteenth Street northwest, 705 Fifteenth Street northwest, or Fifteenth and G Streets northwest. W. P. Taylor, Traffic Manager.

Additional Train Service to Boston

Via Pennsylvania Railroad. To accommodate New England travel, the Colonial Express will be operated from Washington Sunday, October 12, leaving at 7:45 a. m. Through day coaches and parlor cars, also dining car, en route to New Haven.

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Funeral of the Late BENJAMIN H. STINEMETZ

Services to Be Held at St. Paul's M. E. Church.

The funeral of the late Benjamin H. Stinemetz, the retired merchant who died yesterday afternoon at his residence, 1531 P Street northwest, after a lingering illness, will take place Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at St. Paul's M. E. Church. Rev. Dr. L. B. Wilson, pastor of Foundry Church, of which the deceased was a member, will officiate. The interment will be at Oak Hill Cemetery.

Mr. Stinemetz was born in Williamsport, Md., May 22, 1831, but came to this city when but eighteen years of age. He entered into active business, and by persistent effort and unquestioned methods established a business that for some years has been conducted by his sons, under the name of B. H. Stinemetz & Sons. He was one of the founders of the 7. M. C. A. in this city, and had always been an active worker in religious circles.

MILLER PROPERTY PURCHASE.

The J. Hite Miller property on the north side of N Street, between Thirtieth and Thirty-first, which was put up for sale yesterday afternoon at public auction, was bought in by the trustees, representing mortgagee, for \$12,500. The property has a frontage of ninety feet on N Street by a depth of 120, and contains about 10,000 square feet. The place is improved by a large brick dwelling, known as 3133 N Street northwest.

SPECIAL SERVICE TO GETTYSBURG

Via Pennsylvania Railroad. Through coaches Washington to Gettysburg, via Baltimore and Western Maryland Railroad, will be operated on or as a section of 9 a. m. train October 9 and 11. Special side trip excursion tickets on sale October 6 to 14, limited to five days, at rate of \$3.35.

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SUPREME COURT TO CONVENE NEXT MONDAY

The Supreme Court of the United States will convene on Monday next. It is expected, however, that Mr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, who was appointed by the President to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Justice Gray, will take his seat until after the Christmas holidays. Because of this, several important cases, which demand the consideration of the court, will be postponed until a full bench is sitting. No business will be considered on Monday. An early adjournment will be made, and the members of the court will pay their accustomed call on the President at the White House.

VOTES \$500 TO COAL STRIKERS.

The Bookbinders' Union, local No. 4, at its meeting last night unanimously voted \$500 for the further relief of the anthracite coal strikers of Pennsylvania.

MILITARY STILL LOW—DOORS, \$1.25.

And W. P. Taylor, by F. Libbey & Co., 6th and N. Y. ave.

DISTRICT LABOR LEADERS TO HOLD MASS MEETING

To Assemble at Pennsylvania and Louisiana Avenues.

SOLENN SERVICES OF PERPETUAL ADORATION

To Commence at St. Patrick's Church.

Solemn services of the Perpetual Adoration will be held at St. Patrick's Church tomorrow afternoon at 4:30. There will be solemn music by a special choir, under the leadership of Prof. Armand Gumprecht, and the following quartet: Miss Latimer, soprano; Miss Mamie Grant, contralto; Mr. Charles Goodchild, basso; Mr. Melville Hensey, tenor. These services will be held every second Thursday of the month during the winter.

The altar will be beautifully decorated with palms and electric lights. Solemn benediction will be given. The Rev. Dr. Stafford will preach.

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